

Claims

1. A single-use kit for hygienically changing and disposing of a baby's nappy, comprising a foldable and/or rollable mat and a first mat extension having a pocket containing a nappy-changing material, in which the kit is openable by unfolding and/or unrolling the mat and first mat extension and closable by folding and/or rolling the mat and first mat extension, the kit when open providing (i) a nappy-changing surface on the mat and (ii) single-handed access to the nappy-changing material, and in which the kit when closed is suitable for enclosing a soiled nappy and/or used nappy-changing material.
2. The kit according to claim 1, comprising an unused nappy and/or further nappy changing material.
- 15 3. The kit according to claim 2, in which the unused nappy and/or further nappy changing material are positioned within the kit to be accessible when the kit is open.
- 20 4. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the pocket is frangibly sealed to facilitate single-handed opening.
5. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the pocket comprises a tear strip to facilitate single-handed opening.
- 25 6. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the pocket comprises a tab to facilitate single-handed opening.
7. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the mat is substantially rectangular when the kit is open.
- 30 8. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the first mat extension extends from a side of the mat.
- 35 9. The kit according to claim 8, in which the kit comprises a second mat extension substantially opposite the first mat extension.

10. The kit according to either of claim 8 or claim 9, in which the kit when open is of cruciform shape.

11. The kit according to any of claims 8 to 10, in which the kit when open is T-shaped.

12. The kit according to any of claims 8 to 11, in which the kit is closed by folding and/or rolling the mat and mat extensions, and opened by unfolding and/or unrolling the mat and mat extensions, the second mat extension forming a surface for receiving a soiled nappy when the kit is open.

13. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the nappy-changing material or further nappy-changing material includes one or more sheets of liquid-absorbing material, and/or one or more sheets of material impregnated with a cleansing liquid, and/or one or more sheets of material impregnated with an antiseptic and/or antiseptic material, and/or a protective cream or lotion for a baby, and/or a hand cream, and/or a bag (for example, a sealable bag), and/or a baby toy.

14. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the mat comprises a padded section onto which the baby's head can be placed when the kit is open.

15. The kit according to any preceding claim, comprising a fastener (for example, a releasable fastener such as a tie means and/or a hook-and-loop fastening means and/or reusable adhesive tabs) attached to the mat and/or either mat extension, in which the fastener allows the kit to be held closed.

16. The kit according to any preceding claim, comprising a carry means (for example, a handle).

17. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the mat and/or mat extensions are formed from a plastics material.

18. The kit according to any of claims 1 to 16, in which the mat and/or mat extensions are formed from paper with a plastics coating.

19. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the kit is substantially biodegradable.
20. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the kit when closed has  
5 a waterproof outer surface.
21. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the kit (for example, when closed) is suitable for vending from a vending machine.
- 10 22. The kit according to claim 21, in which the kit when closed is of a compact and/or robust design for vending from a vending machine.
- 15 23. The kit according to any preceding claim, in which the mat comprises a releasable layer (for example, a pad) covering at least part of the nappy-changing surface.
24. A nappy-changing kit substantially as described herein with reference to the accompanying drawings.